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THIS REPORT ON TIBET COVERS THE FOLLOWING ITEMS

A. AIRFIELDS -- NONE REPORTED

B. MILITARY INSTALLATIONS

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1. SHIGATSE MILITARY GARRISON 2917N Ø8852E

FOUR SECURED AREAS WITHIN TOWN. FIRST AREA CONTAINS 70-80 BARRACKS, ADMINISTRATION AND SUPPLY BUILDINGS. SECOND AREA CONTAINS 19 ADMINISTRATION AND STORAGE BUILDINGS. THIRD AREA CONTAINS ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 8 BARRACKS, AND 6 TRUCKS. FOURTH AREA CONSISTS OF 23 BARRACKS AND 11 MISC BUILDINGS.

2. MILITARY CAMP 3007N 09508E

SECURED AREA WITH 19 TENTS AND 2 STORAGE BUILDINGS LOCATED 8 NM SE OF YEH-KO-LANG HU. CAMP ASSOCIATED WITH BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION OVER PO HO ON SZECHWAN-TIBET ROAD.

3. MILITARY GARRISON 2930N 09435E

SECURED AREA CONTAINING 7 BARRACKS LOCATED 5 NM N OF TSELA DZONG. AN ADDITIONAL 30-40 MISC BUILDINGS ACROSS ROAD FROM SECURED AREA.

4. GAR DZONG MILITARY GARRISON 3212N Ø7959E

SECURED AREA SURROUNDED BY MOAT CONTAINS 2 COMPLEX BUILDINGS, 5 BARRACKS, 8 MISC BUILD-INGS, 8 TENTS, AND SEVERAL STICK MASTS. 8 TRUCKS IN AREA.

5. MILITARY GARRISON 2929N Ø9422E

- ONE LARGE MILITARY GARRISON AND SEVERAL SMALL CAMPS LOCATED ON SZECHWAN-TIBET HIGHWAY BETWEEN PHU-CHU AND CHOMO DZONG. INFO INCOMPLETE.

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6. TSE-TANG MILITARY GARRISON 2916N Ø9146E

SECURED AREA CONTAINING 1 H-SHAPED BUILDING, 1 U-SHAPED BUILDING, 7 BARRACKS, AND 1 TRUCK. SECOND AREA ADJACENT TO TOWN CONTAINS 2 BARRACKS, 20 MISC BUILDINGS, 2 STICK MASTS, AND 7 TRUCKS.

7. CHUMDO MILITARY CAMP 3002N 09540E

CAMP BEING DISMANTLED. 49 BUILDING FOUNDATIONS, 24 TENTS, 23 TRUCKS, AND OPEN STORAGE.

8. GARTOK 3145N Ø8Ø22E

NO INFORMATION

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9. RUDOK 3327N 07942E

NO INFORMATION

10. TRADUM 2939N Ø841ØE

NO INFORMATION

11. SHAMSANG 3018N 08255E

NO INFORMATION

12. LHASA MILITARY GARRISONS 2939N Ø91Ø6E

NO CHANGE SINCE NOVEMBER 1959. SEE OXY 6050 FOR DETAILS.

C. OTHER MILITARY ACTIVITY

1. BORAX PROCESSING AND STORAGE AREA 3150N 08930E

LARGE PROCESSING AND STORAGE AREA CONTAINING 35 STORAGE BUILDINGS, 2 ADMINISTRATION BUILDINGS, AND 50 TRUCKS LOCATED 120 NM WNW OF HEI-HO. 4 ADDITIONAL AREAS ARE LOCATED IN VICINITY CONTAINING A TOTAL OF 20 MISC BUILDINGS AND 3 BUILDINGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION. ROAD NETWORK SERVING THIS AREA IS POOR.

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2. 2. REST, REPAIR, AND REFUELING POINT 2950N 09347E

SECURED AREA CONTAINING 11 BARRACKS AND STORAGE BUILDINGS, OPEN STORAGE, AND WATER TANK LOCATED 140 NM ENE OF LHASA. 9 TRUCKS AND 2 BUILDINGS OUTSIDE SECURED AREA.

3. LHATSE DZONG 2910N 08745E

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NO MILITARY ACTIVITY IN THIS AREA

4. REST, REPAIR, AND REFUELING POINT 2950N 09345E

SECURED AREA CONTAINING 10 BUILDINGS LOCATED 135 NM ENE OF LHASA.

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